



# News Release

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## **Boil water advisory ends for Basin City residents**

**OLYMPIA** — Customers of the Basin City Water-Sewer District no longer need to boil their tap water. The advisory was issued last Friday after potentially harmful bacteria were detected in the water.

The system has been disinfected, and lab results on water samples confirm that the water meets federal drinking water standards. A Department of Health engineer, who inspected the system on Sunday, believes the contamination was likely caused by recent repair work on one of the system's wells.

Basin City is about five miles west of Mesa in Franklin County. The water system serves about 850 people during the summer.

Customers who have questions about their water can call the utility at 509-531-6308.

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